

## KILLED BY ELEVATED TRAIN.

**HOURS WORK TO LIFT A MOTOR CAR FROM DYING MAN.**

**Thought to Be Robert Montgomery, a Hackman—First Seen as He Lay Across the Tracks—Lived Three Minutes After a Crew Jacked Up Car.**

A man believed to be Robert Montgomery, a hackman, was crushed and killed by a northbound Sixth avenue elevated train in front of the station at Fifty-third street and Eighth avenue, at 9 o'clock last night.

Although a wrecking crew was at Ninth avenue and Fifty-third street, only a block away, it was 10 o'clock before the car was jacked up enough to permit the workmen to pull the man out. The man was still alive when extricated, but died three minutes later.

How he got on the track is not known.

him on either platform. James Kilkeary and John Heyl, who were waiting on the uptown platform, were the first to notice him. They saw him lying across the tracks and at the same time noticed a train approaching and not more than half a block away.

who put on the brakes, but not in time. The front truck passed over the man, and by the time the train came to a stop he was pinned under the centre of the rear truck of the forward car.

Milliken of Roosevelt Hospital surprised the watching crowd by saying that he was still alive. He died a few minutes later. The body was taken to the West Forty-seventh street station.

There was nothing in the man's pockets that would show who he was, except a card made out to Robert Montgomery as a member of the Liberty Dawn Association.

Foster. The association is the independent hackmen's union. From the man's clothing also the police thought that he was a cabman.

Thomas Bird, the motorman of the train, was arrested and locked up in the West Forty-seventh street station. The accident caused some confusion to passengers on the trains bound north.

Those that followed were alerted to the centre track and made no stop at the

Those on the train which struck the man had to wait on the platform until the car was jacked up.

So big a crowd gathered in the street below that the reserves from the West Forty-seventh street station had to be called out.

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**STANFORD CITY RIOTER KILLED.**

Deputy Dan Cunningham Went to Arrest Him—Showed Fight and Was Shot.

Chattanooga, W. Va., April 23.—John

Harless, one of the leaders of the strikers in the Stanford City fight with deputy marshals last winter, was shot and killed to-day at his home, near that place, by men who went with Deputy Marshal Dan Cunningham and W. C. Summers to arrest him on a warrant from the Federal Court. Cunningham and Summers stationed John Harless and a man named George near Harless's house while they approached it to secure their man. He saw them coming and ran from the building on the opposite side, passing near where Laing and George were stationed.

do so, Harless ran behind a tree and drew his pistol. Laing and George fired and Harless fell dead.

Laing is manager of the Lanard Commercial Company, whose property adjoins Stanford City, and is one of the men whom the local union, according to the affidavit of a member named Coon, had decided should be shot. Laing's friends are apprehensive that the threat against him may be carried out.

**PAYING CASTELLANES' DEBTS.**  
Arrangement With Asher Wertheimer  
Assented To by Other Creditors.  
An order was signed yesterday in the  
United States Circuit Court by Judge

Lacombe authorizing George J., Howard, Edwin and Helen M. Gould, as executors and trustees of the estate of the late Jay Gould and trustees for Anna Gould, Comtesse de Castellane, to pay \$17,847. due to the

was also issued for the payment of a debt of \$325,000, due from the Castellanos to Asher Wertheimer, a London hris-a-brac dealer, at the rate of \$4,000 a month from Oct. 1, 1902, to May 1, 1903 inclusive, and beginning June 1, 1903, \$8,000 a month until the entire debt is liquidated.

These orders are the outcome of a consent signed by twenty-seven Paris credi-

"Notwithstanding this consent, the minimum sum of 16 per cent. of our claims, due to us quarterly, shall be continued and made as provided in the contracts between us."

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**MONEY LETTERS ROBBED.**

Sorting Clerk in the General Post Office  
Under Arrest.

The authorities have received nearly a thousand complaints from New York publishing houses that mail was being received in a mutilated condition and that money supposed to have been inclosed was missing, sometimes in the shape of coins taken from coin cards.

late on Monday night found coins sent in "test" letters and a large quantity of one and two-cent stamps on the person of Israel Goldberg, a General Post Office clerk, whose duty was to sort mails. Goldberg was held yesterday under \$2,500 bail for hearing on Thursday.

Among the firms to report losses were F. M. Lupton, the American Tract Society, Arbuckle Brothers, the Butterick Publishing Company, John Wanamaker, the *Revue of Reviews*, and Harnett & Brothers.

**BLEW IRON SAFE DOOR SHUT.**  
Feat of a Hoboken Breeze—Horace Allen's  
Knapsack Broken.

The Flatiron building wind stories are outdone by this story from Hoboken. Former Assemblyman Horace Allen was getting some papers from a 10-ton safe in his law office in the Savings bank building in Hoboken, yesterday, when a gust which swept over the roof of police headquarters, across the street, blew in through the open windows and slammed the door of the safe shut. The door weighs something less than a ton, and Allen's left forefinger was broken in two places.

**TALLAHASSEE, Fla., April 21.**—The Legislature to-day formally elected S. R. Mallory United States Senator to succeed himself.

primary election and had been appointed  
by Gov. Jennings to fill an ad interim term.

**Latest Marine Intelligence.**  
**Arrived:** Sa Hugoma, San Juan, April 14.

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